PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of

Docket No: O89305

Koji KODAMA, et al.

Appln. No.: 10/543,055

Group Art Unit: 1793

Confirmation No.: 5687

Examiner: James A. FIORITO

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For:

MAGNESIUM HYDROXIDE, COMPOSITE MAGNESIUM HYDROXIDE-SILICA PARTICLE, METHOD FOR THE MANUFACTURE THEREOF, METHOD FOR SURFACE TREATMENT THEREOF, AND RESIN COMPOSITION AND ELECTRIC CABLE MADE BY USING THE SAME

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.136

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136, Applicant hereby petitions for an extension of time of three months), extending the time for responding to the Office Action of March 21, 2008 to September 21, 2008.

The USPTO is directed and authorized to charge the statutory fee of \$1050.00 and all required fees, except for the Issue Fee and the Publication Fee, to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. Please also credit any overpayments to said Deposit Account.

Respectfully submitted,

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